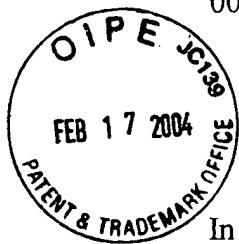


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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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	:	Group Art Unit: 2854
Application No.: 09/374,580)	
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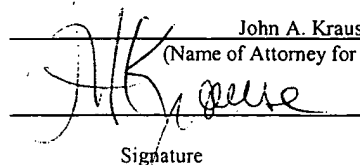
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